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SUBJECT: CHURCH OFFICIAL THREATENS RESIGNATION OVER SOVIET
ENERGY PLANT

REF: THESSALONIKI 0579 AND PREVIOUS

1. BOTH THESSALONIKI MORNING PAPERS OF SEPTEMBER 21
FRONTPAGE THREAT BY CONTROVERSIAL METROPOLITAN AMBROSIOS OF
ELEFTHEROUPOLIS TO RESIGN IN DECISION ON SOVIET-CONSTRUCTED POWER
PLANT AT PHILIPPI NOT REVERSED.

2. IN TELEGRAM OF SEPTEMBER 20 SENT TO PRESIDENT
PAPADOPOULOS, MINISTRY OF NATIONAL ECONOMY,
AND PROSPECTIVE PM MARKEZINIS, AMBROSIOS DEMANDED PUBLIC
DEBATE WITH PUBLIC POWER CORPORATION (PPC) OFFICIALS. IN
CONCLUSION, AMBROSIOS STATES THAT HE WILL OFFER RESIGNATION
IF "CRIMINAL DESTRUCTION OF MOST FERTILE AND PRODUCTIVE
PLAIN OF PHILIPPI" ALLOWED TO PROCEED.

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